

## SCUSD CAC



### **Our Vision:**

*“To be an ongoing collaborative and diverse partnership of parents, students, SCUSD staff and the community that promotes empowerment, education and involvement using student-centric inclusive practices.”*

### **CAC Email:**

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### **CAC Facebook:**

[www.facebook.com/scusdcac](http://www.facebook.com/scusdcac)

### **CAC Mailing Address:**

ATTN: Parent Resource Center-CAC  
5735 47th Ave, Sacramento, CA 95824

### **Sign Up -Event Notices:**

<http://eepurl.com/ETLz5>

We're here to help

## SCUSD CAC

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Sacramento City Unified  
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**Community Advisory  
Committee for Special  
Education**



Submit CAC questions/concerns to:  
[cacscusd@gmail.com](mailto:cacscusd@gmail.com)

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## SCUSD CAC

### Workshops:

Workshops are 6:30-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays.

**Childcare for ages 2+ is provided. Spanish translation services are available.\***

*Dates/times/ locations/topics are subject to change.*

**9/19/17 – Best Practices for Creating an Inclusive School Climate for Students with Disabilities Principals Forum \***

**10/17/17 – Dyslexia Policy Implementation State Guidelines and Implementation in SCUSD \***

**12/2/17 (Sat.) – National Special Education Day** (Celebrate IDEA's anniversary with the CAC... contact us for activity details)

**2/20/18 – Comprehensive Transition Planning for Students with Disabilities**  
*A timely and complete planning process is essential for college, career, and life readiness \**

**Spring TBD – Region 3 Parent Conference** (Pre-register at (916) 643-9122)

CAC also wants to partner with other organizations to offer and promote parent training and resources. Contact: [cacscusd@gmail.com](mailto:cacscusd@gmail.com).

*\*For translation services in additional languages, call (916) 643-2374. If you need disability-related modifications or accommodations, auxiliary aids, or services to participate in a workshop or meeting, contact the SCUSD ADA Coordinator at least 48 hours before the event. Risk Management: (916) 643-9421 or email [riskm@scusd.edu](mailto:riskm@scusd.edu).*

\*Location of Workshops:  
SCUSD Serna Center, 5735  
47<sup>th</sup> Ave., Sacramento, CA



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### What is a CAC?

CACs are established by California Education Code [EC 56190-56194] and are designed in the legislative spirit and intent to establish a local forum for active parent involvement in special education. CAC members have the opportunity to be a part of decisions concerning special education policy as an advisory body to the Sacramento City Unified School District (SCUSD) Special Education Planning Local Plan Area (SELPA) and the Governing Board.

### CAC Responsibilities:

CACs provide resources and training for parents, educators, and the public; promote parent, student, and teacher involvement; provide input into the development of the Local Plan for special education; advise the SELPA and Board of Education; support activities on behalf of individuals with special needs; and MORE!

### How Can CAC Help?

Attending CAC meetings gives parents a chance to meet other parents of children with special needs to obtain support and resources. CAC membership includes parents, teachers, students, and other community members. Join CAC today!

**Sign Up for Workshop/Meeting Notices at: <http://eepurl.com/ETLz5>**



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**8/22/17 – Meet our New SCUSD Superintendent, Jorge A. Aguilar**

**9/26/17 – Meet & Greet** Ice Cream Social with Special Education and District Staff, Parents, & Community Members \*

**10/24/17 – Special Education Strategic Plan Roundtable Discussion \***

**11/28/17 – Mental Health Awareness**

**1/23/18 – Independent Living & Empowerment** Ed Roberts Day \*

**2/27/18 – Topics TBD \***

**3/20/18 – Topics TBD \***

**4/24/18 – CAC Officer Nominations \***

**5/22/18 – Inclusive School Climate Outcomes; & CAC Officer Election \***

**Special Meeting Dates May Be Added**  
CAC will also share resources on Special Themes:  
October - Bullying Prevention; Dyslexia Awareness;  
Disability History & Disability Employment  
Awareness. February 9 - No One Eats Alone Day.  
March - Developmental Disabilities Awareness.  
April - Autism Acceptance.

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